

Margaret Eaton School '42

Graduation Day dawned wet and cold. The old adage, "Rain before seven, stop before eleven", was certainly not true on May 22nd. But to our amazement the rain did not seem to matter. Because the Margaret Eaton Hall has been taken over by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, we held the Graduation Exercises in the Eaton Auditorium.

will confess we did this with some misgivings, because it seemed so large for the space we usually have, but either more people came or the seating was arranged so carefully that we appeared to have a goodly number. We wish you could all have been there to see us in our new setting. The girls looked as lovely as usual (we dare not say more!) in their long white dresses, carrying their beautiful flowers. The Very Reverend Dean Riley, whose daughter Florence was the gold medallist, presided and later gave the message to the graduating class. The address was given by Reverend David A. MacLennan of Timothy Eaton Memorial Church. Nancy Gray was the Valedictorian and Elizabeth Seccombe, with a very nice speech, passed on the Discobolus, symbol of Student Government, to Ruth Carleton of the Class of 1943, who accepted it with an equally nice speech. Under Mrs. McNeill's direction the students sang two numbers beautifully. This year Miss Somers broke her usual custom and before presenting the diplomas, gave a very fine report on the work of the School since she took it over, with a brief historical resume of it before that time. It was very heartening to every one who has been connected with The Margaret Eaton School in any way, to hear Miss Somers say, after speaking of the three periods in the history of the School mentioned at the Luncheon, that the School was now entering into its fourth period, that of amalgamation with the School of Physical and Health Education. Dr. Ryerson, Director of the new school, speaking briefly before the presentation of prizes, corroborated Miss Somers' statement and expressed the hope that the traditions and ideals of The Margaret Eaton School which have stood for so much through the years, would be continued in the School of Physical and Health Education. Miss Somers also announced that Miss Hamilton has made a gift to the University which will make it possible to have the Camp Counselor Course in September as usual. Miss Dorothy Jackson assisted in giving out the awards and Miss Hamilton was also on the platform. Pauline Sellar won the Charlotte A. Kaulbach Silver Medal and a diploma was awarded to Joan Fawcett in absentia. There was great applause when Miss Somers read a cable from Joan letting us know that she was safely in India, teaching in Naini Tal. In spite of the rain friends of the graduating class and of the school came over to the school for tea afterwards and seemed to have the usual pleasant time. Mrs. Fierro (Charlotte Kaulbach) and Mrs. Allen (Marion Hobday) poured the tea and coffee and graduates and friends assisted.

First of all in point of time, came the Activities Association Banquet, which was held at the Park Plaza the evening of May 14th. The theme of the Banquet was "We will meet again"--very appropriate, and of course we will. Sirkka Sterner had made the covers for the programmes and the place cards, all of them works of art. The programmes had blue birds meeting (not over the cliffs of Dover!) and each place card had its own decoration, in most cases a flower. Joyce O'Neill was the toast mistress and an excellent one. All the speeches were good and the prophecy by Jean King produced much applause and laughter, as well as some apprehension, judging by the looks on the girls' faces. A feature of the occasion was the distribution of the School Magazine, dedicated to Miss Somers.

Following quickly after the Banquet came the Annual Alumnae Luncheon, held at the Granite Club on Saturday, May 16th. We feel very sorry for any one who missed it, for certainly it could not have been nicer. The decorations were green and white, with lovely bouquets of white lilacs adorning the tables. The place cards, made by Dorothy Kennedy Conacher, were much admired and each guest received a lovely corsage of white sweet peas. Jo Robinson was the toast mistress; she surpassed even Jo Robinson and kept every one in a happy frame of mind. The toast to the School was proposed in three sections,-- the School of Literature and Expression under Mrs. Nasmith, proposed by her daughter, Mrs. Robert Fennell, the School under Miss Hamilton proposed by Elizabeth Pitt and the School under Miss Somers by Winnifred McEvoy. The three speeches were excellent and gave in brief a history of the school, both humorous and serious. Miss Somers had the task of replying on behalf of the School in all its three different periods.

On Thursday afternoon, May 21st, a cold gray day when the heavens again frowned upon us, the students gave a brief, informal demonstration for their parents, on the lawn at the back of the residence. Gymnastics, pyramids, games, English Country and Morris Dancing and Creative Dancing, made up the programme. A feature was the hobby horses, ridden by Margaret Drummond and Phyllis Gale, which galloped around the lawn during the folk dance numbers. Afterwards tea was served in the living room. This gave the fathers and mothers who had not been able to come to the demonstration in March, a chance to see something of the work.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Shirley Naylor of our staff, to Mr. Winston McCatty of the staff of Upper Canada College, the marriage to take place at Ivy Lea on June 20th. We are glad that Shirley will still be teaching next year.

WHERE YOU WILL FIND THE CLASS OF 1942:

Eva Campbell	Y.W.C.A.	Halifax, N.S.
Jill Cavenagh	British Embassy (Pr. Classes)	Washington, D.C.
Lois Creighton	Y.M.C.A.	Charlottetown, P.E.I.
Betty Denovan	Y.W.C.A.	Quebec City
Margaret Drummond	Y.W.C.A.	Toronto, East End
Jean Finch	C.W.A.C.	Vermilion, Alberta
Ursula Forbes	Y.W.C.A.	Hamilton, Ont.
Phyllis Gale	C.W.A.C.	Ottawa
Nancy Gray	St. Mildred's College	Toronto
Barbara Halliday	R.C.A.F., W.D.	Toronto
Joan King	Y.W.C.A.	Saint John, N.B.
Frances Kitchen	To be married, Oct. 10th	
Bette Marshall	St. Margaret's School	Victoria, B.C.
Nancy McKean	Miss Edgar's & Miss Cramp's School	Montreal
Joyce O'Neill	Branksome Hall	Toronto
Florence Riley	Y.W.C.A.	Brantford, Ont.
Sheila Ryan	St. Helen's School	Dunham, Que.
Ruth Scott	Y.W.C.A.	St. Catharines, Ont.
Elizabeth Seccombe	Y.W.C.A.	New Toronto
Pauline Seller	Y.W.C.A.	Regina, Sask.
Mary Shirton	Brescia Hall, student teacher	London, Ont.
Sirkka Sterner	Y.W.C.A.	Toronto, Central
Peggy Stewart	Taking special course in Child Psychology for Day Nursery	
Gwyneth Thompson	Y.W.C.A.	Moose Jaw, Sask. work
Mary Thompson	Y.W.C.A.	Winnipeg, Man.
Anne Thomson	Loretto Academy	Niagara Falls, Ont.
Evelyn Tindale	Y.W.C.A.	Hamilton, Ont.

JOAN OTTEWELL (1941)

We speak of losing Joan, and yet "loss" is hardly a fitting word to choose. Would friendship be worth very much if we could forget so easily?

When we have forgotten her love of fun and laughter, her happy disposition, her willingness to help a pal and her unwillingness to grouch, and all the little every-day things that were Joan to us, then and then only will we have "lost" her.

But those of us fortunate enough to have had and returned Joan's friendship, will not forget, but will count as priceless our memories of her.

-Joyce Bertram '41

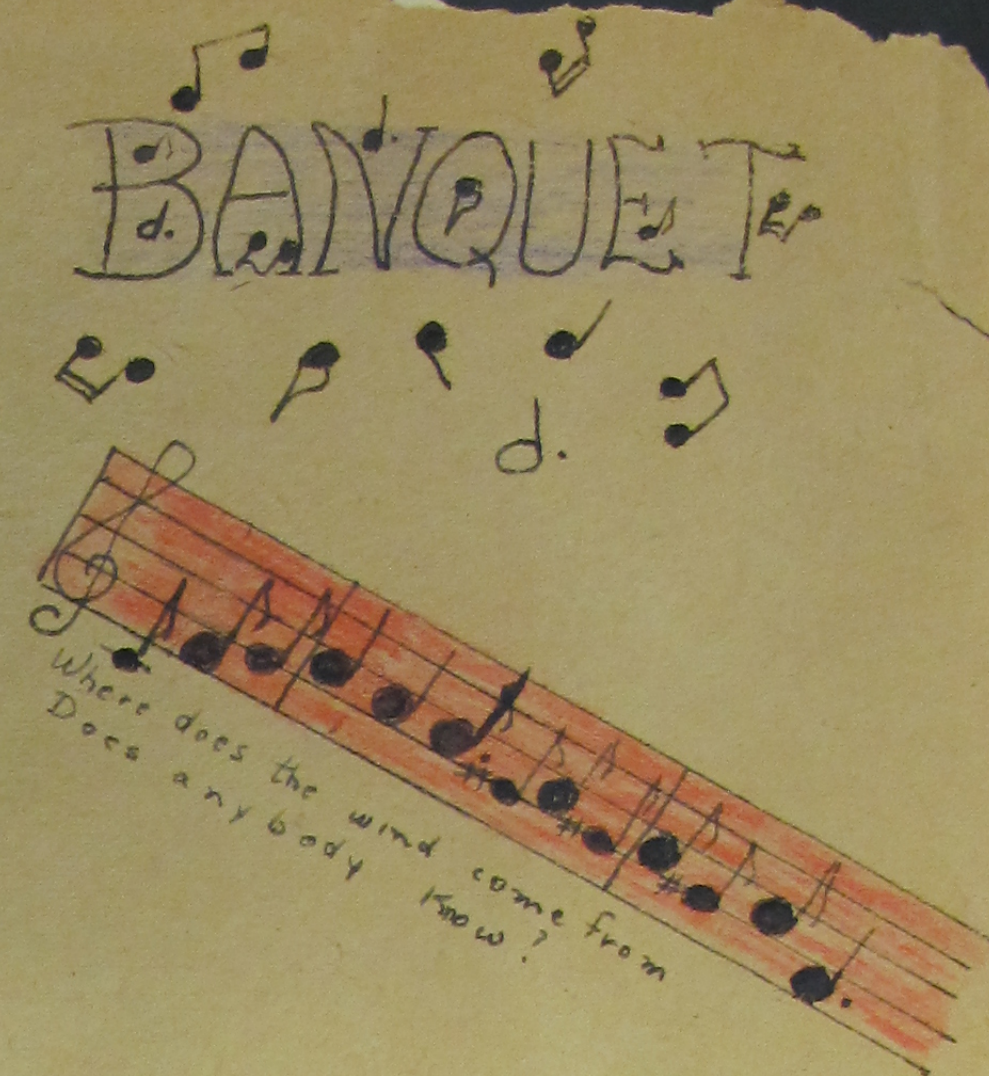
CAMP



Pauline Seller

Banquet Placecards

BANQUET



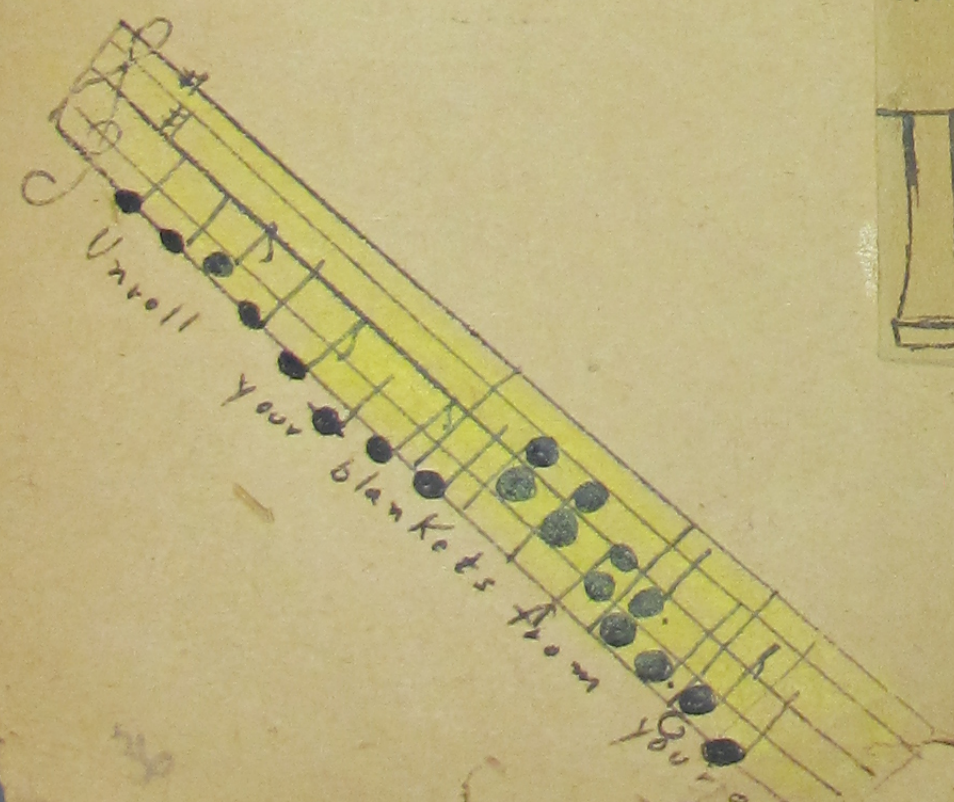
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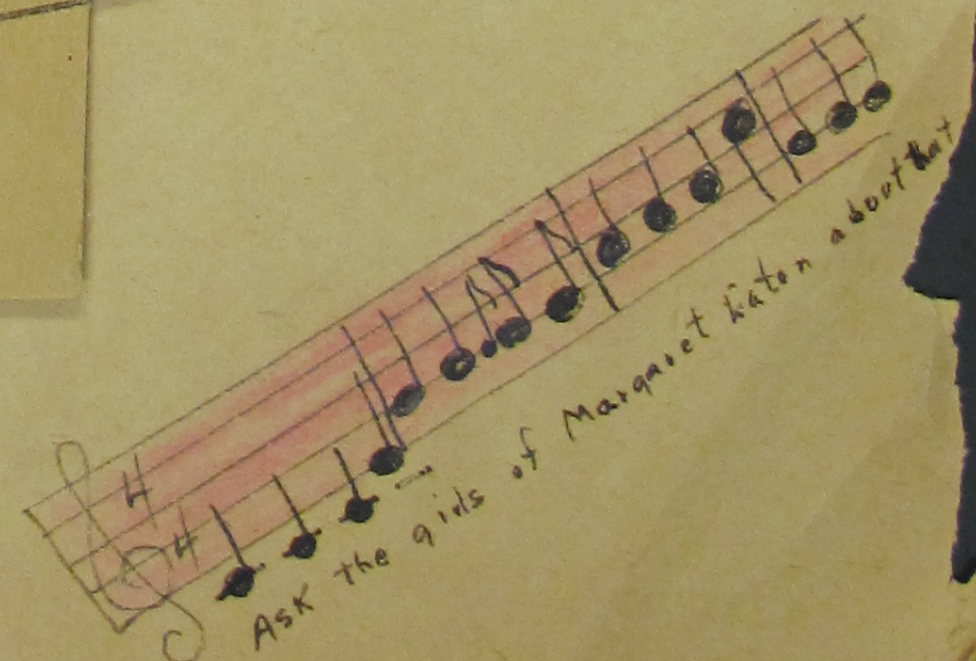
Early one morning Just as the sun rising



Camp Banquet Menu:



Unroll Your blankets from your old park



Ask the girls of Marquet hats about hats

Lake Couchiching (DAC) 1st year MES.

CABIN WINNERS



"We Seven"



"Fatty" Sellen



Tindale - Thompson - Hansen



"We seven again"



"Craigie"



"Sellen"



"Craigie"



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"Bet" ADA

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MISS CATHERINE STUART VANCE,
GENERAL SECRETARY

*Member of the Financial Federation of the
Montreal Council of Social Agencies*

February 5, 1941.

Dear Pauline:

I am wondering how you are and how you are getting along? I can assume that all is well.

Also I would be interested in knowing what you are thinking of doing for the summer months? I am Director of the Y camp at Ooolahwan and it really is a grand place. How would you like to be a counsellor of something or other?

I am writing you very informally just to find out if you are even interested. There is some money in the several jobs that you might fill--not too much as it is a Y camp but it is a grand and glorious spot in the Laurentians.

I have said nothing to Miss Somers or to the School but thought I would just ask you what you thought about it.

The one position that I thought you might like would be more or less directing the programme of the Bunnies--the younger girls--this would include a lot of work along the line of swimming and some boating and also programme work with them. This is just an idea and I would love to hear if you could consider it at all.

Would like to hear from you soon--be good and my best to your mother.

Bye for now,

Catherine Stuart Vance

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Program by
Craig Hamilton and Beaches Youth Choir.

TUESDAY, March 18th.

2.30 p.m. NURSERY SCHOOL.

2.30 p.m. WAR SERVICE and COMMUNITY SEWING GROUPS.

8.00 p.m. YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION.

WEDNESDAY, March 19th.

8.00 p.m. CHURCH NIGHT.

THURSDAY, March 20th.

2.30 p.m. NURSERY SCHOOL.

2.30 p.m. MOTHERS' GUILD.

6.30 p.m. YOUNG WOMEN'S SERVICE CLUB.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE - Sunday March 30th.

A RED LETTER DAY - March 23rd. 112th ANNIVERSARY.

PREACHERS - 11 a.m. DR. GREGORY VLASTOS.

7 p.m. DR. E. CROSSLEY HUNTER.

ANNIVERSARY SUPPER

under auspices of the Women's Association,

MONDAY, March 24th. 6.30 p.m.

Adults 25¢. Children 15¢. Good P

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visiting from out of the City are

VISITOR'S BOOK in the vestibule

REVIEW PERIODS

MISS M.A. CLA

p.m. TUESDAY 2.00

p.m. THURSDAY 10.00

THURSDAY 4.00

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THE CHURCH WE ATTENDED MOST



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